

## COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

"To Enrich Lives Through Effective and Caring Service"

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FROM: Donald L. Wolfe

**Director of Public Works** 

## GRANT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES GRANTS RECEIVED-FISCAL YEAR 2006-07 AND 2007 METRO CALL FOR PROJECTS

Attached is a copy of our Fiscal Year 2006-07 report indicating grants received for activities or projects within your District. Agreements may or may not have been executed, but awards have been confirmed with the corresponding funding agencies.

For Fiscal Year 2006-07, we received over \$1.9 million of grant funding for Public Works' activities or projects in your District. While this level of funding does not match what we received in the prior fiscal year for your District, we continue to work diligently with your staff to identify projects that will compete well for grant funding that is currently available.

We are also providing you with information on the Metro Call for Projects awards, which were not formally awarded until September 2007 (Fiscal Year 2007-08). Your District received \$18,167,000 as a result of the Call for Projects.

Our goal is to secure as much grant funding for Public Works' activities or projects as possible. This action is consistent with the County Strategic Plan Goal of Fiscal Responsibility by actively seeking grant funds to augment the County's regular funding sources. If you should have any questions about these reports, please call me or your staff may contact Kathi Delegal of our Grants Management Section at (626) 458-3912.

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